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Date of Interview: 22 May 2007.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.
If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 1.

Identification of prior art discussed: Fukuda (US 5,174,755).

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☒ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

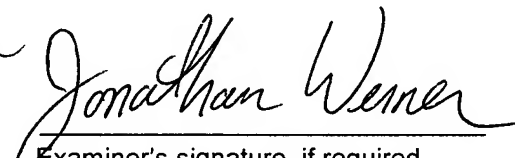
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(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Applicant proposed a draft amendment to claim 1, which appears to overcome the previous rejection of 35 U.S.C. 101. Examiner noted, however, that the proposed draft of claim 1 still would not overcome the previous art rejections based upon the Fukuda reference because of the structural similarities between the two. Examiner suggested leaving the previously presented "temporary attachment" limitation as part of claim 1 to help distinguish the "base part" and the "head part." Furthermore, Examiner suggested elaborating on the specific structural limitations which define the "head" and "base" parts and their relation to the "molded piece."